

# Career Cluster Knowledge & Skills

Sample Career Specialties/Occupations	<b>Pathway Knowledge and Skill Statements</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Describes what an individual would need to know or be able to do for a job in that pathway.</li> <li>• Each pathway is divided into four sections:               <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Pathway Topics</li> <li>• Knowledge and Skill Statements</li> <li>• Performance Element</li> <li>• Measurement Criteria</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	<b>Pathway Knowledge and Skill Statements</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Pathway topics:</b> Main categories</li> <li>• <b>Knowledge and Skill statements:</b> Overarching standards or goals</li> <li>• <b>Performance Element:</b> content standards or expected outcomes related to program standards</li> <li>• <b>Measurement Criteria:</b> These describe specific concepts that a person in the Cluster/field should be able to do</li> </ul>	<b>Pathway Knowledge and Skill Statements</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Knowledge and Skill statements need to be aligned to program standards.</li> <li>• After you align the knowledge and skill statements to the technical standards taught in the courses, you can evaluate which courses need to be updated or revised.</li> <li>• You can also tell which knowledge and skill statements are not covered.</li> </ul>
Pathways			
Cluster K & S	<b>Foundational Knowledge and Skill Statements</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Describes what an individual would need to know or be able to do for all pathways within that cluster.               <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Knowledge that would lead into any of the pathways within that cluster or clusters</li> <li>• Embedded with in a course Or Foundational course</li> </ul> </li> </ul>		